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Sgt. Tran and Spc. Russell keep the water coming to thirsty Soldiers.



Capt. Eric Slover, commander of the 304th Transportation Company. Photo by Spc. Gloria Whitehead, 91st Division PAO Office. Photos on this page are from the grenade training lane where Soldiers receive hands-on experience with simulation grenades.



Spc. Edward Odland, 304th Transportation Company. Photo by Staff Sgt. Kent Ambrose, PAO Office.



Cpl. Melissa Russo, 304th Transportation Company. Photo by Staff Sgt. Kent Ambrose.



It starts with a bang and ends with a bang, the grenade course that is. As groups A through J wind their way through grenade training lanes it's apparent that some training events tax Soldiers a little more than others.

According to Capt. Tatum, training officer from the 371st 63d RRC, the grenade lane offers quite a challenge to Soldiers as they are directed to run, stop, drop, and low-crawl over terrain toward their target.

Lobbing the grenade also takes accuracy and strength. Soldiers receive simulation grenades, including smoke and fragmentation grenades.

Staff Sgt. Kent Ambrose, 63rd RRC

Visiting hours at the Mission of San Antonio de Padua the have been extended to 2000 hrs this Tuesday. Soldiers are invited to visit this unique and historic site located on Fort Hunter Liggett, just down the road from the Hacienda. A continuous rotating shuttle service will be provided at parking lot # 207 by the Chaplain Team. This historic structure provides an actual glimpse into the past, and the unique role the California Missions had in early California history. Don't miss this opportunity.



Relief in Place /Transfer of Authority

By definition, a relief in place is a tactical enabling operation in which, by the direction of higher authority, all or part of a unit is replaced in an area by the incoming unit. The directing authority transfers the responsibilities for the mission and the assigned area of operations (AO) from the replaced elements to the incoming unit.

On the ground at Operation Pacific Survivor, the 6045th is packing up and ready to head home as the 5035th is settling in and picking up the reins for all the training programs without a hitch.

"We want to make sure Fort Hunter Liggett looks even better when we leave than when we arrived," said Col. Joel Mjolsness, commander of the 6045th Garrison Support Unit.

The 6045th stood up the exercise Operation Pacific Survivor, and is tying up all the loose ends associated with a maneuver of this magnitude. Col. Samuel Friar arrived last Friday and was immediately looking at the tasks associated with continuity and support of all the training taking place, while looking ahead and beginning the planning process for the huge task of de-mobing all the Soldiers in training as well as support and administrative staff. The 63rd RRC will continue in its role of providing support to the GSU's as needed throughout the exercise, until everything is wrapped up to the satisfaction of Col. Friar which is when everybody will be released to head home.

Reminder, everyone should have all their gear, linen, etc. accounted for and ready to return to supply in an orderly and organized fashion toward the end of training, to make sure the process goes as smoothly and quickly as possible.

P. Ryan, 63rd RRC PAO



The 63rd RRC war room. Capt. Kevin Padgett (front left), G3, discusses engineering issues with Lt. Col. Anderson and Lt. Col. Steve Strem from the 63rd RRC Engineering Section.

Theatre: Schedule for 11-26 Aug 2006

Date	Times	Showing
Sun: 20 Aug	1930	Pirates of the Carib. 2
Mon: 21 Aug	1930	Click
Wed: 23 Aug	1930	Superman Returns
Fri: 25 Aug	1930	My Super Ex-Girlfriend
Sat: 26 Aug	1500	Monster House
Sat: 26 Aug	1930	Clerks II



Rec. Center	P-287	Mon-Sat	1100-2100
		Sun	1000-2100
Commissary	S-182	Mon-Sat	0800-1900
		Sun	Closed
Barber Shop	S-80	Mon	1200-2000
		Tu-Th	1000-2000
		Fri-Sun	Closed
Swimming Pool		Mon-Sun	1200-2000

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